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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :

v. :

MARIA RODRIGUEZ, :

Defendant. :

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ORDER

93 Cr. 670 (MGC)
08 Cr. 198 (MGC)

MIRIAM GOLDMAN CEDARBAUM, District Judge:

Upon the application of the United States of America, by and through Assistant United States Attorney Nicole W. Friedlander, and with the consent of the defendant, MARIA RODRIGUEZ, by and through her counsel, Carlos E. Cruz, Jr., Esq. (93 Cr. 670 (MGC)) and Jennifer L. Brown, Esq. (08 Cr. 198 (MGC)), it is hereby ORDERED that the time between April 11, 2008, and the date of the pre-trial conference scheduled in these matters, May 5, 2008, is excluded for purposes of the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(8)(A), in the interests of justice. The ends of justice served by such continuance outweigh the interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial because it will allow counsel to discuss any disposition that may be appropriate in these matters.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: New York, New York
April 15, 2008

HON. MIRIAM GOLDMAN CEDARBAUM
United States District Judge